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For: METHOD FOR WATER)	Date: August 12, 2009
HAMMERLESS OPENING OF FLUID)	
PASSAGE, AND METHOD FOR)	
SUPPLYING CHEMICAL)	
SOLUTIONS AND DEVICE FOR)	
WATER HAMMERLESS OPENING)	
FOR WHICH THE METHOD IS)	
USED)	

AMENDMENT (D) AFTER FINAL

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Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed April 30, 2009, and in view of the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) filed herewith, please amend the application identified above as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.